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LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Cans—Holloway Bros.
Sausage Stuffers—Holloway Bros.
Mrs. Felix Turner of Sabinal returned Tuesday after a visit at Tarplev. She has a lot of fishing tackle at C. R. Gaines.
Buy your filtered gasoline from Holloway & Son.
Mrs. B. Ney of D'Hanis was in Hondo last days of the week.
Sewing Machine for \$15.00 at Holloway's.
Choice pecans see Jos. Courand at Castroville, Texas.
British shipped a carload of tires to San Antonio Monday.
Buy your tires from the City Garage. You get service.
Buy your tires now. Use Goodyear Diamond Tires. City Garage.
Miss Moebling visited Miss and Pearl Berry Sunday.
Winchester Remington ammunition just received. C. R. Gaines.
Buying, selling or trading in cars call 199 or visit City Garage.
Folk went to San Antonio Wednesday to visit his sister, Ida Folk.
Mrs. Berry is working at the Gilchrist this week.
For Sale, a Gasoline Engine and a lack. Apply to J. G. Heyen.
To convince you what a saving you have your Casings and Tubes and. Citizens Motor Car Co.
Estella Berry is visiting with Miss Moebling's at Lower Hondo.
SALE—Maxwell Touring Car, new, good condition. E. Heineke.
Faseler and family came up from their farm on the Devine road Sunday, shopping here.
Schuehle and Walter Scheile and Travis were visiting here Sunday.

Ammunition—Holloway Bros.
Big Stone Jars—Holloway Bros.
\$25.00 Sewing Machine for \$15.00 at Earl Boon's.
Phone 37 for special auto livery. McLaugherty & Son.
Milford and Travis Barry of San Antonio visited their mother, Mrs. J. H. Barry, Saturday night and Sunday.
Mrs. Jack Mitchell of Uvalde returned home Tuesday after a visit to her father at Liveoak Slough.
A four wheel trailer you can attach to any car. Price right. See it at City Garage.
Buy your tires at City Garage. Satisfaction and courteous treatment assured. We appreciate your patronage.
Mr. and Mrs. Antone Folk were passengers to San Antonio Monday. They visited Miss Ida Folk there who was reported very sick.
Wm. Buss of Seguin and Mrs. J. B. Scheffel of San Antonio attended the funeral of Mrs. John Buss at Yancey Wednesday.
Mrs. J. W. Hall, and little Opal, and baby, are spending a few weeks at Hondo visiting her mother, Mrs. J. H. Berry, and friends.
The baby boy of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Ebell of Knippa was christened at the Lutheran church here Sunday and was named Ernest Julius. Sponsors were Mrs. C. J. Bloss and John Frerichs, and Fred Niemeyer of Knippa.
Judge Ed. de Montel and C. J. Bloss returned from Fort Worth and Camp Bowie Wednesday. They found their boys in good health and spirits at the training camp and enjoyed the visit several days, which only was marred by the accident of Rolf Frerichs.
Apples! Good Apples! We have a fresh car of good apples that just arrived, and we will sell them at \$1.50 per basket. Phone us your order.
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Heating Stoves—Holloway Bros.
Sausage Grinders—Holloway Bros.
\$25.00 Sewing Machine for \$15.00 at Earl Boon's.
H. H. Crow went to San Antonio Wednesday.
Jerry Smith went to San Antonio Monday to be with his mother who is in the city for medical treatment.
Miss Della Peters returned Monday from a visit to Prof. and Mrs. O. W. Peters at Karnes City.
Mrs. J. G. Heyen and children returned Sunday from a visit to relatives and friends at Uvalde.
A. B. Brucks went to San Antonio Tuesday to be present at the funeral of his little niece, Elizabeth Dillon.
Jimmie Nixon of Yancey passed through here the first of the week en route to San Antonio.
Misses Abbie Mae Williams and Oma Bandy of Yancey visited San Antonio Sunday.
Sunday, November 18th the Epworth League will have their mission study lesson on the fifth chapter of "The South Today."
Mrs. Andrew Carle who had been here the guest of her sister, Mrs. Fritz Muenink, returned to her home in San Antonio Thursday.
C. R. Gaines, distributor for Goodyear, Racine and U. S. Tires and Columbia Dry Cell Batteries. Prices guaranteed.

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O. J. Bader now a student of the Columbia University of New York, notifies the Herald and his friends here of his new address: Gas Engineering Class, c. o. U. S. S. Granite State, Foot of West 97th Str., New York.

The west bound passenger from San Antonio was delayed about 4 hours Monday. A derailed car of a freight train a few miles east of Hondo had blocked the track. The ordered "wrecker" sustained damage while at work and had to be repaired.

D. C. Baker and family and C. T. Baker and family, who have made their home in this county for the past couple of years, both returned to their old homes at Thorndale, Milam county, this week where they will again take up their residence.

Miss Hulda Nester, Mrs. John Batot, Mrs. Pete Koch and Mrs. Ernest Brotze of D'Hanis were visiting Mrs. Eugene Huesser here the first of the week, and Thursday Mrs. Ed. Zinsmeyer of D'Hanis, and her guests of San Antonio, were visitors of Mrs. Eugene Huesser.

Aug. Schuehle returned Wednesday night from a visit to the Hondo soldier boys at Camp Bowie, Fort Worth. He says the boys are all in splendid physical condition and have no complaints to make against army life. He was in Fort Worth when Rolf Frerichs happened to the accident which cost him the two first fingers on his right hand and visited him in the hospital after his wound had been dressed. He also saw Geo. Carle, Jr., another one of Hondo's boys in the hospital, the latter receiving his injuries in a football game. Mr. Ward of Yancey accompanied Mr. Schuehle to Ft. Worth, he also having a son in Camp Bowie. He stopped over in San Antonio on the return trip.

County Commissioner's Court.

The regular November Session of the Commissioner's Court began Monday and lasted about three days.

A large committee of stockmen and farmers from various sections of the county came before the court with petitions signed by several hundred citizens of the county, urging that the county agent be retained by Medina County for the year 1918. After a consideration of the facts presented, coupled with advice from the government that it shall be the duty of all counties to employ county agents during the period of the war, the petitions were granted, and the contract with the government in which the government contributes one half of the salary of the county agent, was accepted, Mr. T. N. Lee to continue in his services as such agent.

Election officers allowed \$2.00 each for bringing returns from Bismarck and Castroville, in Amendment election.

Delinquent tax record for years 1915 and 1916 were examined and approved by the court and ordered published as required by law.

Ordered that county road map made by Judge H. E. Haass be adopted by the county, duplicate of same to be forwarded to state Highway department.

County jailor allowed the sum of \$2.00 per day for such days that he would otherwise receive no pay by reason of the jail being empty.

Ordered that railroad ticket be purchased for invalid, to San Antonio, and that he be released from custody.

Various bills approved.
Quarterly reports examined and approved.

Collectors reports for Aug., Sept. and Oct. examined and approved.

County Treasurer's reports examined, compared, and found correct. Warrants cancelled.

Quarterly finance report made out and ordered published one time.
Court adjourned on Wednesday.

Mrs. John Buss.

The people of Hondo were grieved when it became known Tuesday that Mrs. John Buss had died at her home near Yancey.

Mrs. Buss was a native daughter of Medina county, she having been raised at New Fountain, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dirk Gerdes of that community, and was universally esteemed for her many womanly virtues.

Decedent had barely passed the meridian of life, being but 52 years and 5 months old when the death angel called and carried her soul back to its Creator.

Amid the tears of relatives and friends the body was gently laid to rest in the Yancey cemetery Wednesday afternoon, the Rev. Gus Muennink of the German-Methodist church officiating, assisted by Rev. Mr. Wheat, pastor of the Yancey Methodist church.

Besides her husband Mrs. Buss is survived by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dirk Gerdes of New Fountain, and two daughters, Mrs. Earl Watson of Yancey and Mrs. Bihartz of Yancey.

That a merciful Heavenly Father may assuage the grief of the bereaved family is the wish of their great number of sympathizing friends.

Sausage Stuffers—Holloway Bros.

As usual, Old Santa Claus' headquarters are at Windrow's.

Mrs. P. Jungman Jr., visited in San Antonio Monday.

All kinds of furniture repairing at Edwin F. Bendele's. All work done at reasonable prices.

Mrs. J. B. Scheffel, who was here for the funeral of Mrs. John Buss, returned to her home in San Antonio Friday morning.

Leopold Breiden was here from San Antonio Wednesday on a business mission.

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Big Stone Jars—Holloway Bros.
Prof. and Mrs. T. C. Hickman were here from Yancey Sunday.

Your auto top made to look like new at Eugen Huesser's Saddlery Shop. 13
Miss Hazel Heath visited in San Antonio yesterday.

Machine hemstitching and picot edging. Mrs. H. B. Houston, Uvalde, Texas. 38-6mo.

Bethlehem Spark Plugs cost no more and are guaranteed for life of your car. City Garage.

Whenever your windmill or gasoline engine needs repairing call on Edwin F. Bendele for quick service. 14-tf

A marriage license was issued to W. M. Scott and Miss Hettie Arnold on November 12.

OVERLAND SIX—The well-balanced Six—with plenty power and comfort. See this new car at City Garage.

Bring your autos to me and let me recover them. Satisfaction guaranteed in both workmanship and price. Eugen Huesser. 13

Dr. B. R. Bradley went to San Antonio yesterday, he accompanying his patient, Mrs. H. W. Butts, to the hospital.

Mrs. A. F. Reinhart was here from Sabinal last Saturday on a visit to her sister, Mrs. R. J. Reiley.

Place your orders now for Pure Triumph Maben Cotton Seed. See samples at Farmers' Union Warehouse Co. 15

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Butts went to San Antonio yesterday morning where Mrs. Butts will enter a hospital for treatment, she being somewhat indisposed. Her mother also accompanied her to the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Gaines and children visited Mrs. A. Wiede (nee Ethel Gaines) at Maxwell last Sunday. Mrs. Gaines also paid a brief visit to her sister at Staples. Misses Clara and Una protracted their visit to their sister for several days, not returning home until Wednesday. The other members of the family returned home Sunday evening.

Clarence Hudspeth, one of Hondo's young sons who has made good in his chosen avocation—electrical engineering—arrived home Wednesday from Pittsburg, Pennsylvania, on a brief visit to homefolks. He is looking well and apparently life in the "Smoky City" agrees with him. His friends here are delighted to have him with them again even for a brief period. He purposes starting on his return trip Tuesday.

W. M. Scott and Miss Hettie Arnold, a San Antonio couple, were married at the court house here Monday. His Honor, Judge A. M. Lamm, officiating. The Judge says they denied being an eloping couple but said they wanted to surprise their friends. The fame of Judge Lamm as an official nuptial tyer is spreading to other counties and soon he will be as famous as the Gretna Green blacksmith. But he is willing and anxious to serve all who come, even in the wee small hours of the morning, as happened recently. Then, too, different from all other lines of business, he hasn't advanced the price a penny.

Texas Boys Entertained.

The Vallejo (California) Evening Chronicle of October 23 contains quite a lengthy write-up of a reception tendered the two hundred Texas boys in the naval training camp there, the reception taking place at the Y. M. C. A. headquarters building. According to the Chronicle the affair was a noisy one, the Texans being "armed" with cow bells and bandanna handkerchiefs and while they were a noisy lot, it was the noise of a jolly, happy lot of boys and the crowds that lined the streets through which they marched accorded them an equally boisterous welcome. The evening's entertainment consisted of a literary program and the reading of congratulatory telegrams from prominent state and city officials of Texas, telegrams being sent by Gov. Hobby, Mayor Woolridge of Austin, Mayor Dolings of Waco, Mayor Lawther of Dallas, Mayor Davis of Fort Worth, Mayor Kemper of Galveston, Mayor Davis of El Paso, Mayor Bird of San Angelo, besides numerous telegrams from Chambers of Commerce, Boards of Trade, clubs, societies and private parties. The Chronicle says the reading of these telegrams from "the homefolks" evoked the vociferous applause of the boys, they seeming to greatly appreciate the hearty goodwill breathed by each of the telegrams. What makes this reception of particular interest to our people is the fact that at least one Hondo boy, Clarence Allen, was among the Texans who enjoyed the hospitality of the good people of Vallejo. The people of that city have adopted the idea of entertaining the boys from the various states in training there on different days, the Texas boys being the first to be extended the hospitality of the city. But few Texan knew that as many as 200 of our boys were in training in one camp on the Pacific coast. There are two other camps in that section, and another Hondo boy, Monroe Taylor, is in another one of the camps. Texans seem to be doing their bit in every part of the country in preparation for the great war.

Lost Two Fingers.

Rolf Frerichs, son of our fellowtownsman, Fritz Frerichs, and one of our soldier boys in Camp Bowie, Fort Worth, had the misfortune to lose the index finger and the second finger of his right hand by the accidental discharge of a gun Monday. It is the old, old story of the unloaded gun. He was visiting in the tent of a fellow soldier and picked up a gun belonging to his friend and was snapping it, and had even snapped it at his friend who was writing at a table in the tent. Presently the shell exploded with the result that two of the first fingers of his hand were badly mangled. He was immediately placed in the hospital and amputation of the fingers was found necessary.

His uncle, August Schuehle, who was in Fort Worth at the time, notified Rolf's father of the accident and he left immediately to be with him. Mr. Schuehle had invited several of the Hondo boys to be his guests for the day in the city and had included Rolf in the number, even offering to see the captain and try to get a pass for him, but the young man declined the offer for the reason that he was expecting a visit from his father in a few days and he would then ask leave to be absent from the camp. Mr. Frerichs had not returned up to yesterday. The last accounts from the hospital were to the effect that Rolf was getting along all right.

Piles Cured in 6 to 14 Days

Your druggist will refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure any case of itching, bleeding or protruding piles in 6 to 14 days. The first application gives ease and rest. 50c.

Miss Hardt Entertained.

Who said the F. F. F. were dead? Early Saturday morning, Nov. 3, the phones began to ring and it was Ella's charming voice, saying: "Meet me at the Armstrong Hotel and I will take you to the movies." At 7:30 all arrived and accompanied Ella to see "Tears of the Storm Country".

After the show refreshments of cream and cakes were served at Mrs. Hutzler's. All departed for their respective homes, enjoying the evening very much.

NOTICE!

Hereafter we will give only ONE DAY of each week--FRIDAY.

MRS. J. W. HOLLOWAY,
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Special Services at the Lutheran Church.

The German Lutheran St. Paul's Congregation, Rev. A. Falkenberg, Pastor, will have Mission services next Sunday.

Rev. H. A. Heinecke of Moulton, Lavaca Co., will preach at the regular morning service at 10:30 o'clock and in the afternoon at 3 o'clock.

All friends of the church are cordially invited to attend these services.

Sausage Grinders—Holloway Bros.

W. O. Rothe was here from D'Hanis Wednesday.

The Avon Herald's telephone number is 127. When you have friends visiting you ring up and tell us about them.

Up to Thursday there had been 1,212 bales of cotton shipped from Hondo against 4,166 on same date last year.

For Sale—Ivory Chiffonier almost new, and a cast iron heater. Apply to Mrs. Frances Keller. 15-2t.

The following car load shipments were forwarded from Hondo for the past week: 6 cars of wood, 12 of cattle, 2 emigrant outfit and 1 of guano.

FOR SALE—Cord and stove wood Cord wood, \$3.00 per cord; stove wood, \$2.75 per load; also stumps, \$2.50 per load. All prices delivered. Telephone, line 1, R. 2. Aug. Stiegler. 13-4t

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William and Alois Iltis were here last week-end from Lacoste on business.

Mrs. Ed. Reeves is here from Memphis, Texas, visiting her sister, Mrs. E. B. Schneider, and family.

FOR SALE—A registered red-poll bull, four years old, \$125.00. Apply to Toby Koch, Hondo, Texas. 14

Wm. Buss, who was called here on account of the death and burial of Mrs. John Buss, returned to his home at Seguin yesterday.

Mrs. Pauline Taylor, Mrs. Fletcher Davis and children, Annie and Lucy, and Miss Lucile de Montel visited Dr. O. B. Taylor at Camp Travis Wednesday.

Arrangements have been made with J. W. L. Hanley to do a real estate business at D'Hanis. See him at the depot at that place and talk over your real estate wants with him. Fletcher Davis. t-f

Miss Amanda Haass, well known in Medina county and who has a large number of relatives and friends in this section, was married to Mr. David Davis in San Antonio last Sunday.

Mrs. W. H. Taylor is here from Junction and will be the guest of her children, Mrs. C. R. Gaines and Ray Taylor, for the winter.

Thanksgiving Program by Senior and Junior Epworth Leagues.

Sunday, Nov. 25, 1917, 7 p. m.

Song.

Subject, "For what am I grateful?"

Voluntary, by Miss Annie Callahan.

A Series of Tableaux:

a. Spirit of Thanksgiving.

b. Christian America—Two Leaguers.

c. The Church—Eight Leaguers.

Prayer, by Pastor.

d. The Sunday School—9 Leaguers.

e. The Epworth League—7 Leaguers.

f. Progress of Temperance—7 Leaguers.

Scripture reading.

Song, "Blest be the tie that binds."

Recitation, James' Methodism, by Will Earnest Newton.

Song, Leora Horger.

Our Gifts, by Juniors.

Nellie's Gift, by Bessie Mofield.

Song, by Marguerite Newton.

Closing Song.

Benediction.

Junior League Program.

Nov. 18, 8 p. m.

Leader, Travis Kinney.

Bible reading, Mark 14, 3-17.

Song, Onward Christian Soldiers.

Sentence Prayers.

Bible Story, Homer King.

Recitation, Mary Crouch.

Commandments.

Talk, by Pastor.

Song.

Benediction.

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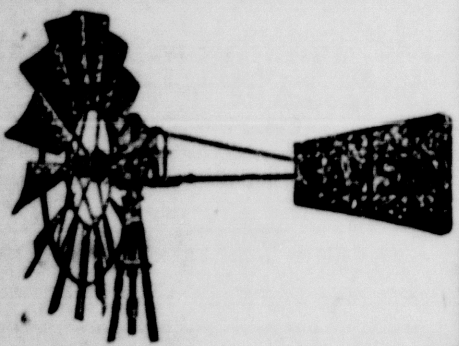
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7:30 a. m.	7:30 a. m.	7:00 a. m.	7:00 a. m.
3:32 p. m.	3:32 p. m.	12:30 p. m.	12:30 p. m.
4:20 p. m.	4:20 p. m.	11:40 a. m.	11:35 p. m.
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A TWICE-TOLD TALE.

One of Interest to Our Readers.
Good news bears repeating, and
when it is confirmed after a long
lapse of time, even if we hesitated
to believe it at first hearing, we feel se-
cure in accepting its truth now. The
following experience of a San Antonio
man is confirmed after three
years.

Thos. W. Conaway, grocer, 517 S.
Hackberry St., San Antonio, Texas,
says: "I was troubled by rheumatic
pains and backache during damp
weather or when I had caught a cold.
I was on my feet a good deal and
had to do quite heavy lifting occa-
sionally and I think it helped to
bring on the trouble. I began taking
Doan's Kidney Pills, and they helped
me right away. I have frequently
told others about Doan's and am al-
ways glad to say a good word for
them." (Statement given December
13, 1913).

No Trouble Since.

On June 4, 1917, Mr. Conaway said:
"I first publicly recommended Doan's
Kidney Pills in 1913 and I am
pleased to say I have had no return
of backache or other kidney trouble
since Doan's cured me."

Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't
simply ask for a kidney remedy—get
Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that
Mr. Conaway had. Foster-Milburn
Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y.

What has become of the old-fashion-
ed proud woman who strung her clothes
line where her flannel petticoats could
be seen?

Our idea of a motor maniac is a lady
who gets gasoline money by Hoover-
ing her baby.

Put a porous plaster on the chest
and take a good cough syrup inter-
nally if you would treat a severe case
of sore lungs properly. Get the
dollar size BALLARD'S HORE-
HOUND SYRUP. With each bottle
there is a free HERRICK'S RED
PEPPER POROUS PLASTER for
the chest. Sold by W. H. Windrow.

Remember, the Anvil Herald wants a
correspondent from every neigh-
borhood in the county. Send in the neigh-
borhood happenings. Your communi-
cation in many instances would be as
much appreciated as a personal letter
by your friends in other parts of the
county.

Neuralgia of the face, shoulder,
hands, or feet, requires a powerful
remedy that will penetrate the flesh.
BALLARD'S SNOW LINIMENT
possesses that power. Rubbed in
where the pain is felt is all that is
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restore normal conditions. Price 25c,
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Our entire ranch is posted according
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an admirable bowel regulator. It
helps the liver and stomach and re-
stores a fine feeling of strength and
buoyancy. Price 50c. Sold by W. H.
Windrow.

Services at Catholic Church.

Sunday, 9:30 High Mass with Ser-
mon, 10:30 Sunday School, 7:30 p. m.,
Evening Services.

Week-days: Holy Mass at 7:30 a. m.

During October Evening Services
are held on Wednesday and Friday
evening, at 7:30.

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20 Pounds on Tanlac.

"I had dropped down in weight
from one hundred and seventy
pounds to a hundred and twenty-
seven and had little hope of ever
getting well, but I have gained at
least twenty pounds in the last sixty
days and my wonderful recovery
makes me want to tell everybody
what Tanlac has done for me." This
remarkable statement was made by
A. W. Bruce, 825 Avenue G., Gal-
veston, Texas, a few days ago.

"On the seventeenth day of last
June," he continued, "I was stricken
with rheumatism in my left foot. I
distinctly remember it was the sev-
ententh because I was fixing to go
to a double header baseball game
at Houston the next day. Well, I
was taken down and the trouble was
pronounced a very stubborn case of
inflammatory rheumatism.

"I can't tell you in words how
much I suffered, but my wife can
tell you what I went through and
what she went through nursing me.
I tried electrical treatment but it did
no good. I took the antitoxin treat-
ment for rheumatism, and did every-
thing else, but nothing helped me
and finally I was told there was
nothing more that could be done for
me.

"I suffered so day and night that
I couldn't sleep or move myself and
my wife got so worn-out she had
to get her sister and her sister's
husband to come and sit up with me
at night. Then I went to Marlin,
Texas, and had to be carried down
and put in a automobile and on the
train, and when they started with me
I never expected to come back alive.
I stayed there three weeks and took
the full course of treatment and
baths. I believe I did get a little
relief from this, but it was hardly
noticeable.

"When I came home I just could
manage to hobble around a little on
crutches. On nice days, with the
help of my wife and the crutches, I
could get from my room to the
porch. I had no appetite at all,
what I forced myself to eat did me
harm in place of good, and it was
alarming the way I was losing
weight.

"Just about this time a friend told
my wife about Tanlac and I had
taken so many different kinds of
medicines that I had no faith in
anything and it irritated me for any-
body to suggest another. But my
wife insisted on me trying Tanlac,
so we telephoned the drug store
and had them send out a bottle.
I took this bottle and another with-
out feeling any benefit and I tell
you I was absolutely discouraged
and wanted to give it up. But we
got a third bottle and on this one
I began to get better and when I
finished it I was so much better I
was able to walk to the drug store
myself and get the fourth. I have
now taken six bottles and I am a
happy man. All my rheumatism
pain is gone, my appetite is splendid,
and I am resting fine every night.
I have already gained at least twenty
pounds and I am building up in
weight and strength right along.
My recovery from my awful suffer-
ing is enough to make me praise
Tanlac and I am glad to tell every-
body what it has done for me."

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wish to bake extra for a chicken or
turkey, buy a dry loaf of bread from
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scoop out the inside, leaving only the
crust; then fill the space with dressing
and pin on the end slice and bake. It
is as delicious and moist as when
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Our Castroville Page

Local, Personal and Business Items from This Busy Burg

CASTROVILLE, NOVEMBER 15, 1917

ED. HUEHNER, LOCAL REPRESENTATIVE

News or business matter for this page for the week's issue should be submitted to Mr. Huehner or mailed direct to us at Hondo not later than Wednesday night of each week.

Messrs. Henry Bendele, Albert Bihartz, Joe Wernette, A. W. Meyers and Frank Biry, of Biry, and Jacob Rothe, Henry Rudinger and Ed. Poerner, of D'Hanis, stopped over a while Saturday morning, en route to Riomedina, to attend the meeting of the Medina County Farmers Union. We were informed that the same was well attended and that very important business matters were transacted.

The 6th Regiment of U. S. Cavalry reached our town about 1 p. m. Friday afternoon, en route to Fort Sam Houston. They pitched camp in the Frey field, on east side.

Thanksgiving eve at the Wernette Opera Hall. A good time to all.

We are indeed glad to learn that Edwin Rihn, who had accidentally shot himself while out hunting Sunday morning, Nov. 4, is fast convalescing. He was able to leave the hospital several days ago.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Emil Mangold of Bexar county on Monday, November 5th, a daughter, and on Thursday, November 8th, to Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Weiblen, of Second Creek neighborhood, a son and heir.

Frank Tachirhart Jr. came down from his mountain ranch Saturday evening, bringing down a large fish (mud cat) which tipped the scales at 54 pounds.

Mr. Ed. J. Keller of Devine was here Sunday to see his best friend.

Col. J. B. Wernette left Sunday on a visit to kinfolks and friends at San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Keller of Devine spent Sunday with kinfolks and friends here.

Messrs. Rud. Posch and Wm. Bendele of Biry passed through Monday morning en route to San Antonio, on business bound.

Mr. Leopold Brieden of San Antonio was a Castroville business visitor Tuesday.

Mrs. Theresa Mangold and Mrs. Otto Jungman of Lacoste were here Sunday.

Sister Gabriel returned to the convent in Victoria after a visit to her sister here, Mrs. John Franger.

Henry Steinle spent several days at his ranch near Bandera this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Scherrer and daughter, Florence, and Miss Patricia FitzSimon spent Sunday in Hondo.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe J. Rihn was baptised Sunday in St. Louis' Catholic Church and was named James Joseph. The sponsors were Miss Clara Biediger and Eugen Keller of Lacoste.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer de Montel of Hondo were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Scherrer one day this week.

Mrs. Otto Wurzbach and baby returned to Cliff Sunday after a three week's stay here.

Don't forget the Thanksgiving eve, November 28th. A Grand Ball at the Wernette Opera Hall at night. Everybody invited to attend.

Mrs. Louisa Mangold and daughter, Miss Rosa, visited in San Antonio Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Zuercher were Lacoste visitors Sunday. They also were sponsors for the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mangold. The little Miss was named Rachel Johanna.

H. V. Haass was here Tuesday from Hondo.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rihn and Miss Gertrude Rihn visited in San Antonio Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Hutzler were shoppers here Tuesday from Bader Settlement.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Schmitt and Mrs. Katie Holzhaus visited in Hondo the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Kirk Tallie and children were here from Potranco one day this week.

Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Johnson were here from Lytle shopping this week.

Emil G. Baby from Cliff was here with a load of choice pecans Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Beck were here from Riomedina with pecans Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Wernette of San Antonio were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Wernette at their ranch Sunday.

Mrs. John Schorp and Mrs. Chas. Boehme and little son, Ward, were here Tuesday from Riomedina.

Miss Mary FitzSimon returned to San Antonio after a week's visit here to her parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. T. FitzSimon.

Miss Melonie Huesser is visiting in San Antonio.

Miss Elsie Ahr is reported to be very sick.

Mrs. Willie Rihn and little son, Willie, Jr., and Misses Alice Rihn, Theresa Hans and Helen Jungman, spent Sunday in San Antonio.

Misses Hilda and Edna Wurzbach were here from their ranch shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Steinle and children of Dunlay visited Mr. and Mrs. Henry Steinle and family Sunday.

What Would You Do?

In case of burn or scald what would you do to relieve the pain? Such injuries are liable to occur in any family and everyone should be prepared for them. Chamberlain's Salve applied on a soft cloth will relieve the pain almost instantly, and unless the injury is a very severe one, will cause the parts to heal without leaving a scar. For sale by all dealers.

Married in San Antonio.

Miss Joe Barnes of Devine and Mr. Henry Wernette, a young business man of San Antonio, prominently related in Medina County, were married in San Antonio, November 2nd. They will make their home in that city. The bride is the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Barnes of Devine. — Devine News.

State Council of Defense.

San Antonio, Texas, Nov. 6, 1917.

BULLETIN NO. 8:

To the various County Councils:—

1st: A great many sections of the State need food and feed stuffs, and will desire to know where the same may be purchased to advantage. Through your Local Councils please get in touch with your people, and if they desire to buy corn, oats, hay, wheat, or in fact anything necessary in this State, we believe that we can be of great assistance in furnishing information where it can be obtained at reasonable prices. The department of Agriculture, at Austin, can also be of great assistance to you in this respect. When you ascertain your needs, it might be well to have your Secretary, or your Committee in charge of Agriculture, to communicate at once with this office, or with the Department of Agriculture, at Austin. These sources of supply are not only in this State, but in other States, and we will be able to give you information as to parties, products and prices.

2nd: The Council of National Defense, at Washington, makes the following suggestions with reference to economy in shipments by railway, substantially: Buy at the nearest market where prices do not prevent it, load car to the fullest capacity, bunch your orders so as to make full car-loads where you do not order as much as a carload yourself, and unload cars on the day of arrival, if possible; ship by direct route, and don't change shipping destination where it can be avoided; let your loading and unloading correspond where possible with the arrival and departure of trains. Please take this up with your big shippers, and obtain their co-operation, and co-operate with them where necessary in obtaining cars.

3rd: Recruiting has again been authorized for the Aviation Section of the Signal Corps. It is desired to obtain as rapidly as possible 25,000 to 30,000 men for this Corps, and men who are qualified as electricians, sail makers, carpenters, cabinet makers, automobile repairmen, chauffeurs, internal combustion engine experts, machinists, plumbers, painters and motorcycle repairmen are desired. Please render what assistance you can in this respect, and advise parties desiring to enter this branch of the Army to get in touch with nearest Recruiting Officer.

4th: The United States Bureau of Investigation is swamped with work, and desires that you obtain the fullest co-operation from your Peace Officers in keeping a watch on the spy, the traitor, the slacker, and those who, by their statements, may do injury to our Country, and whenever you hear of any such, you are requested to report them to your officers.

5th: We think it would be well for you to request all papers published in your County to give publicity, through their columns, to the matters set forth in the 1st, 2nd and 3rd paragraphs of this Bulletin, as they are matters which should be brought to the attention of the public.

Very truly yours,
Texas State Council of Defense.
By J. F. CARL, Secretary.

For a Weak Stomach.

As a general rule all you need to do is to adopt a diet suited to your age and occupation and to keep your bowels regular. When you feel that you have eaten too much and when constipated, take one of Chamberlain's Tablets.

Barn Burned Wednesday.

The \$500.00 barn on the W. S. Lilly (Christilles) ranch near Noonan burned Wednesday a total loss, with only a little feed in the building. The fire caught by some children playing with fire on a windy day. There was no insurance. — Devine News.

Rev. C. E. Wheat is back from Eagle Pass and is pastor of the M. E. church at Yancey, this county. — Devine News.

Mrs. Bertha Bippert and granddaughter, Miss Mildred Bippert, of Natalia, were in Devine Saturday. — Devine News.

Another advantage the baldheaded man has is that he is never mistaken for a chrysanthemum.

\$100 Reward, \$100

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one remedial disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

Address: F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
Sold by all Druggists. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Seraphine Ittis.

The subject of our sketch was born in Seenthal, Elsass, August 23, 1834, and died in Lacoste, Texas, November 6th 1917 at 11 o'clock A. M. He was therefore 83 years, 2 months and 14 days old.

Mr. Ittis came to America with his parents and arrived at Castroville the first Sunday after Easter in 1845. He joined the U. S. Army in 1863, during the civil war, and got his honorable discharge in 1865.

He enlisted in Capt. H. J. Richarz company E. Texas Rangers, Sept. 9th, 1870 and was given the rank of Corporal; he was mustered out with the rest of his companions June the 15th, 1871. After his return from the Rangers he lived several years at Castroville, Texas, from where he moved with his brother to Idelwild, in Bexar County, some 40 years ago, where he was engaged in farming until about 7 years ago when he and his bother, Alois, moved to Lacoste, where they had acquired a residence on North Front street.

Mr. Ittis was a kind hearted old gentleman, and a good Catholic christian who full-filled his duty to God and his fellow-men as he understood the same.

One more of the pioneers of this Medina Valley has gone to his eternal reward, his mortal remains were laid to rest on the Ittis family block on St. Mary's cemetery after a High Mass of requiem; Rev. Father Jno. Heinzelmeier officiated at the obseques, a large concourse of sorrowing relatives and friends followed the bier.

He is survived by his brother, Alois Ittis of this place, and two sisters, Mrs. Rosa Tondre and Mrs. Frank Bohl Sr., of Castroville, and scores of nephews and nieces and many friends who deplore his demise. — LaCoste Ledger.

An Old Man's Stomach.

As we grow older and less active, less and less food is required to meet the demands of our bodies. If too much is habitually taken, the stomach will rebel. When a man reaches the advanced age of 85 or 90, you will find that he is a light eater. Be as careful as you will, however, you will occasionally eat more than you should and will feel the need of Chamberlain's Tablets to correct the disorder. These tablets do not contain pepsin, but strengthen the stomach and enable it to perform its functions naturally. They also cause a gentle movement of the bowels.

Sabinal Sentinel Siftings.

Mr. Joseph Reilly and family were out from San Antonio in their auto to attend the wedding of Miss Hettie.

Mr. Joe Richarz Jr. was in town Monday on business.

Mrs. T. E. Wyatt went to San Antonio Saturday.

Miss Vera Jones and her mother spent Sunday in San Antonio.

Mrs. T. E. Wyatt and Miss Sarah returned Monday afternoon from a visit in Hondo.

Certain Cure for Croup.

Mrs. Rose Middleton, of Greenville, Ill., has had experience in the treatment of this disease. She says, "When my children were small my son had croup frequently. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy always broke up these attacks immediately, and I was never without it in the house. I have taken it myself for coughs and colds with good results."

LaCoste Ledger Laconics.

Mrs. Joe Mechler of Hondo was here on a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Alex Jungman and family.

Ray Taylor and Byron Stone from Hondo were here Friday and Saturday buying and shipping feed.

Mrs. P. O. Stuchell Tells How She Cured Her Son of a Cold.

"When my son Ellis was sick with a cold last winter I gave him Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It helped him at once and quickly broke up his cold," writes Mrs. P. O. Stuchell, Homer City, Pa. This remedy has been in use for many years. Its good qualities have been fully proven by many thousands of people. It is pleasant and safe to take.

Personally, we admire an open fall in Texas, but we are beginning to wish for weather that will make white shoes look de trop.

FOR SALE—A Jersey cow, fresh in milk. Apply to FLETCHER DAVIS, Hondo, Texas.

It may be well enough to admit also that the cost of living was lower in the good old time when every family raised its own goose grease.



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I Hope You Will Publish This Letter

Mr. W. H. Edgar, 49 Cooper Lane, Georgia, writes: "I suffered for fifteen years with rheumatic symptoms. Day and night I think it is the best medicine ever made. You will publish this letter for the benefit of others who suffer from the same disease. Those who object to medicine can procure Peruna."

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If you are ever troubled with indigestion, Chamberlain's Tablets will do you good. They strengthen the stomach and enable it to perform its functions naturally. There are hundreds of people who have been restored to health and happiness by the use of Chamberlain's Tablets. When you feel dull and languid after eating you may know that your digestion is faulty, unless you have eaten more than you should. Belching, sour bloating are symptoms of indigestion and are relieved by taking Chamberlain's Tablets as directed. It is usually accompanied by constipation and is aggravated by indigestion. Chamberlain's Tablets cause a gentle movement of the bowels, relieve indigestion, and restore the stomach to its normal condition. Chamberlain's Tablets are also most efficacious. Sold everywhere.

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Mr. Marion Holcomb, of Nancy, Ky., says: "For quite a long while I suffered with stomach trouble. I would have pains and a heavy feeling after my meals, a most disagreeable taste in my mouth. If I ate anything with butter, oil or grease, I would spit it up. I began to have regular sick headache. I had used pills and tablets, but after a course of these, I would be constipated. It just seemed to tear my stomach all up. I found they were no good at all for my trouble. I heard

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recommended very highly, so began to use it. It cured me. I keep it in the house all the time. It is the best liver medicine made. I do not have sick headache or stomach trouble any more." Black-Draught acts on the jaded liver and helps it to do its important work of throwing out waste materials and poisons from the system. This medicine should be in every household for use in time of need. Get a package today. If you feel sluggish, take a dose tonight. You will feel fresh tomorrow. Price 25c a package. All druggists.

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Public School Column.

Equipment ordered by the school for the school is arriving. Library edition of the dictionary, buckram binding, Dodd, Mead & Co.'s, New Encyclopedia, twenty-five volumes, buckram binding, and the recent Series of sixteen leaf edition are now in the library.

The heavy apparatus and tables in experiments in the department are being prepared. The school has decided to have three High School departments instead of the two terms always been given before. The school closes with November.

The school was honored by visits last week by Jesse Newton, Mrs. T. C. Newton, Mrs. Olin Lacy, and Mrs. B. F. Harrison and Mrs. Brown. Any one wishing to see the school for themselves, the work accomplished will be well worth the visit.

On evening, Nov. 13, at a meeting of the school, some must have thought that the school was over in their aeroplanes from their actions. The school dismissed and the entire school went out to the "Aviation" where seven aeroplanes stayed several minutes. The school came out on the "Aviation" where we were shocked to see one of our visitors, of the school, on the front page of the school lines - "Falls 2,000 feet." He was Sidney J. Brooks of San Antonio and would have been landed safely at San Antonio. His death is deeply regretted by our people.

REPORTER.

Teachers' Association.

Interesting meeting was held at the auditorium Monday, Nov. 12. Twenty-three members were present.

The meeting was opened with prayer by the pastor.

Following talk was made by the pastor regarding the collection of money for the emergency fund; also thanksgiving and others who so kindly gave tables and handsome cabinet laboratory in which to work.

The report read and it was found that the following articles:

Books	\$ 15.40
Maps	14.53
Tables and 95c	24.00
Books	1.45
Books	.50
Books	15.29
Books	.42
Total	\$ 71.59

Paying the above amounts a balance of \$125.00 was left in the treasury.

The meeting gave reports of good progress on collection of dues.

Following being chairman of committee on purchase of new club colors and flower to be a reward to the room with largest attendance of mothers at previous meetings. The vote was given to purchase Engraving on installment plan was made and treasurer instructed to pay \$114.00 in order that we have a reduction of six dollars.

The meeting was closed with a song by the pastor which was very much enjoyed. Also explained her work in singing which was quite good.

The meeting of fun and instruction was given when Mrs. Cockrell called on the assembly drill which was very good.

The association to pay for laboratory work was also voted to place a blackboard across front of Auditorium.

REPORTER.

Stone came in Thursday

Col. C. W. Stone, and his wife and friends here. Mr. J. Wolff was here from Tuesday.

That Does Not Affect the Head

and has no laxative effect. LAXATIVE is better than ordinary medicine. Remember the full name and signature of E. W. GROVE, Sec.

Airplanes Visit Us.

If Hondo had been in the war zone and the airplane fleet, consisting of seven machines, which visited us Tuesday evening, had been hostile air craft Hondo would have been in the "middle of a bad fix" as our visitors circle over the town before landing on the "Schmitt Aviation Field" one-half mile south of town. As it was the planes were soon captured by the people of the town, as big, little, old and young were soon raising the dust in a rush to the field, and before the last plane had settled to the ground an immense throng had collected. The planes were from the aviation field in San Antonio and were on a cross-country flight and as Hondo is such an ideal landing and rising place they could not resist the temptation of paying us a short social call. After an hour's stop here the planes again, one by one, took to the air and after circling until they had reached the desired altitude sailed off east to their base at San Antonio. All the planes reached their destination safely, but the one driven by Sidney J. Brooks, a young aviator, fell some 2,000 feet after reaching the home field, instantly killing young Brooks and completely demolishing the machine. This flight was the last test the young aviator had to undergo before receiving his commission as a lieutenant in the aviation service. Just what caused the accident will never be definitely known but it is the opinion of experienced aviators that he was taken violently ill and fell against the steering wheel, they basing their opinion on the action of the plane before starting to fall. Young Brooks was known to be somewhat indisposed before starting on the flight. He was about 22 years old and a native of San Antonio. His death is deeply regretted by our people.

Surprise Party.

A surprise party was tendered Mr. H. Hartman last Saturday night, November 10th, Mrs. H. Hartman being the hostess.

The old favorite game, "42" was employed by the happy gathering to while away a few pleasant hours.

Refreshments consisting of hot chocolate with whipped cream, cake and sandwiches were greatly enjoyed by the happy throng.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Albert Neuman and children, Mr. and Mrs. Beckman and children, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Schweers and children, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Haass and little daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Leinweber and daughter, Alice, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Schweers and son, Harry, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Oefinger and baby, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Steigler, Mr. and Mrs. Lou E. Heath, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Grimsinger, Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Morris, Mr. and Mrs. George Bendele, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Filleman, Mrs. Abe Silverburg, Mrs. Keller, Mrs. Cancan, Mrs. Roy Carter, Mr. Steve Filleman, Misses Lizzie and Nora Schuehle, Shelly Canon, Nora Karrer, Johanna Leinweber, Lorine Heath and Dora Schweers.

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Mr. and Mrs. Vint James passed through here this week en route home to San Antonio from a hunting trip to their ranch in the Cline country. They had two fine bucks as the result of their outing, one falling to the unerring aim of Mr. James, the other being a victim of Mr. James' rifle.

Mr. Amo Jagge and son, Archie, and Mesdames Fred and Jule Jagge and babies, enroute to D'Hanis, stopped over here Wednesday to visit relatives.

Mrs. Abe Silverburg of San Antonio attended the surprise party given to Mr. Hartman Saturday night, and visited with her sister, Mrs. H. Hartman a few days, returning home Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Belle Journey of Green, Texas, was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hancock, the first of the week.

Mrs. Ed Poerner and children and Mrs. Henry Wernette were here from D'Hanis Thursday visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. A. Sennitt and Mrs. Ed. de Montel visited in San Antonio last Sunday.

HE FOILED THE "FOOTPAD"

And When Lord Macaulay Returned to His Room He Found He Had Watch That Did Not Belong to Him.

Here is a story told of Lord Macaulay by Lady Login:

"Lord Macaulay was in Rome the winter we were there with the Maharajah. They had one very good story about the English colony, which was told by an attaché of the British embassy. Like all strangers, he went by moonlight to see the Coliseum, and as was proper in a historian and a poet, that the spirit of the centuries might have full sway within his soul, he went alone! As he stood rapt and gazing in the shadow of the arches a man brushed rudely by, jostling him roughly. With great presence of mind Mr. Macaulay—as he then was—felt at once for his watch. It was gone! The thief was still in view. Promptly the historian gave chase, and, taking the law into his own hands, as might one of the heroes of ancient Rome whose deeds he set forth, he promptly knocked him down and repossessed himself of his property.

"Fearing that other criminals might be about, the Englishman at once returned to his hotel, to find, to his surprise, his own watch ticking comfortably on his dressing table, and a strange gold watch in his waistcoat pocket. Horrified at his first successful coup as a footpad, he hurried off to the bureau de police to give up his booty, where he was confronted by an excited foreigner vehemently describing the outrage of which he had been a victim."

Use of Parchment Paper.

Parchment paper, similar to that used in keeping linen from turning yellow, serves an even more valuable purpose in the kitchen for wrapping bread, cakes, meats, lunches and food of all kinds. It keeps them clean fresh and free from all contaminating odors. The paper suitable for various needs comes in packages, each containing a roll of wrapping paper and parchment paper and twine sufficient to supply an ordinary household for a long time. An inner tube in the package contains two kinds of high quality parchment paper, part of which is transparent and is called "glassine" paper. The paper is made to resist grease and oil and is absolutely pure containing no wax, paraffine, oil or chemicals. It affords an excellent lining for pantry shelves, buffet drawers chiffoniers and similar receptacles.

GRAFT



Jimmie—Pop, I saw you makin' eyes at de new servant girl, and a season's ticket to de ball grounds will just about keep me quiet about it.

"Real Dog."

According to the Antwerp correspondent of the Handelsblad the German authorities at Ghent have issued an administrative order granting permission to the city of Ghent for the erection of a dog slaughter house. One of the regulations provides that no dog butcher may supply more than about two pounds of dog meat a week to each family.

The Officer's Coffee Pot.

There is an ingenious little apparatus, by the help of which an army officer in the field may make himself a pot of hot coffee quickly without a fire.

Into a small cylindrical receptacle of metal he puts a little "cartridge" of solidified alcohol and lights it. His coffee pot is made of just the size to set nicely upon this alcohol stove. It is a cheap and simple arrangement, and the trouble of heating the coffee is reduced to a minimum. For heating water or soup the stove will serve equally well.

Cleaning Steel Knives.

Steel knives can be very well cleaned by a paste made of emery powder and oil.

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In Tropics

Light had settled down upon the village of old Panama. Through the village, with a hollow, ghostly sound, a drum beat. It was sundown and the prayer to the gods was on. Soon the moon rose and revealed the dancers—men, women and children whirling round and round, painted in wild patterns.

The music shrieked; quicker, quicker whirled the worshippers. Then a long wail from the reed pipes, the wild musical ring fell into time again. The unearthly music slowed down as though gathering strength for another outburst of sound.

In the distant camp two American soldiers were sleeping. The eldest of the two awoke, sat up and rubbed his eyes. Then he awakened his companion. It was dinner time; they had taken a little nap after their long morning's ride.

Presently the music died down, one by one the dancers departed and the two soldiers, having cleared away their soiled dishes after a scanty repast, began a friendly conversation.

"Well, I've had my first—and I think my only," ventured McCraig, "my first real love affair at last," he breathed with a sigh. Then his companion, Dick Warsworth, began to jibe him. But McCraig was firm.

"It's no kidding, Dick; I'm serious—it's got me all broken up."

"Then why the dickens don't you marry the girl?" teased Dick. "You'll be home in a few weeks."

"That's it exactly," Hal McCraig broke in suddenly. "I can't, boy; I simply can't—and yet I want to, or, don't you understand, don't you know whom I mean—it's Juanita, little Juanita."

Dick sat rigid. Neither uttered a word until Dick, having sufficiently recovered from the shock, spoke.

"Why, Hal, old boy, come out of it. You must be mad. Don't you know the girl has colored blood in her? What are you thinking of, and your family back home?"

For reply Harrison McCraig breathed a heavy sigh and ran his long, bony fingers through his massive brown curly hair.

"I know it," he said simply. Then he arose, stretching himself like a great gaunt shadow in the semi-darkness. The two boys nodded good-night and went off to their bunks.

Early the next morning, according to orders from headquarters, the whole camp began packing their kits for the return trip back North.

Hal and his companion ambled aimlessly down the central avenue to the shops. Their doors, opened wide, were as though gasping for a breath of air to cool the flaming bandannas strewn over the counters. Dick purchased some of the bright bits of silk, together with a finely-woven Panama hat, and was all prepared for his homeward journey.

When they came to Coconut Palm boulevard Hal looked at Dick meaningfully, and the slight nod of his head meant more than words could possibly tell.

"All right, old boy, I'll go down with you, but please remember your family above all things," Dick said by way of caution.

The two boys strolled on until they came to a tiny white shack overrun with tropical verdure to such an extent that Hal could scarcely find the knocker on the door.

In a second Juanita stood in the open doorway, a bunch of fresh lotus flowers in her arm.

"It's so good of you to come," she said by way of greeting, and with a graceful wave of her little brown hand she motioned the two boys into the adjoining room, where they seated themselves on a bamboo settee.

Juanita was a beauty, Dick could not help but confess it, though secretly. Her soft brown eyes sparkled and danced with animation, and the flash of her strong white teeth against the scarlet of her lips was refreshing.

She wasn't so dark-skinned, either, Dick mused to himself; nor had she the features of a negress; and yet—well, it certainly was too bad, for Hal's sake.

When Juanita's parents had entered and been introduced to Dick, Hal having met them during his previous visits to the cabin, Hal sprang the news.

"Well, we're going back in a few days," he said, "and I hate like the dickens to go. Seems as though I can never get used to the cold northern winter again," he added slowly.

Juanita's eyes opened wide with surprise, then just as suddenly her expression turned to one of hurt.

"Oh," she exclaimed, quickly catching her breath, and closed her eyes for a brief second as if to blot out the thought.

When the big, red ball which formed a dazzling background for the network of shadowy palms along the horizon began to slide slowly down to rest that evening, Hal and Dick took their leave.

Juanita's father, a thin, lanky colored man of middle years, walked down the road with them. As he neared the end of the lane he took Hal by the arm.

"Look here, young fellow," he said. "You want Juanita, don't you?"

Hal was startled. Of course he was, but the warning look in Dick's eyes arrested his confession. The old man didn't wait for the reply evident in every feature of the young American soldier's face—he went right on.

"And you can have her, too, 'cause she ain't what you think she is—she's white—just as white as you are."

Hal's eyes were burning with eagerness like the great smoldering coals.

"She isn't my daughter at all, I just raised her," he said bluntly.

"When the canal was being built her father and mother—white—and from the North, came down here to live. It wasn't long afore the old yellow dog got 'em and they joined the rest of the tenderfeet. Then little Juanita was left alone, so we took her and kept her with the rest of us, just like one of our own little pickaninnies. She's Spanish descent and just as white as you are."

Hal grasped the old man's arm in a sort of frenzy.

"I know it. I felt it all along," he cried out, "and I'm going back to get her right this minute. Come on, Dick."

There was a hasty explanation to Juanita concerning her parentage. Tears were mixed with joy, and before them all Hal proposed and was accepted.

When Hal returned from a hurried trip to Washington bringing with him a stationary post at the Canal Zone, with Dick's assistance as best man, he became the proud husband of the most beautiful girl in the tropics.

And now five years later, when the tom tom drums in the distance begin to beat the first strains of the evening's prayer, Hal's little curly haired son slyly creeps up to his father's knee to be kissed good-night. The tropical sun has just begun to pour her covering of tan over his beautiful white skin.

There is peace, quiet and content everywhere in the air save for the black man's weird tom tom drum. Hal joins in the worship, but in his own way. He raises his eyes to the soft tropical sky above and murmurs, "God knoweth and keepeth all things even to Juanita, little Hal and me."—Daniel P. Johnson in Chicago American.

NOTHING DOING



"Anything new at your boarding house?"

"Not a thing, either in grub or gossip."

Molded Salmon Salad.

Soak one envelope of sparkling gelatin in two tablespoonfuls of cold water for five minutes. Mix two egg yolks, slightly beaten, with two scant teaspoonfuls of salt, one teaspoonful of mustard, a few grains of cayenne, one and a half tablespoonfuls of melted butter and three-quarters of a cupful of milk. Cook in the upper part of the double boiler until well thickened. Do not boil. Add one can of drained salmon that has been flaked into small particles, the soaked gelatin and two tablespoonfuls of vinegar. As soon as the gelatin is dissolved, turn into a mold that has been rinsed with cold water and set on the ice to chill and harden. Serve cut in slices and laid on crisp lettuce leaves.

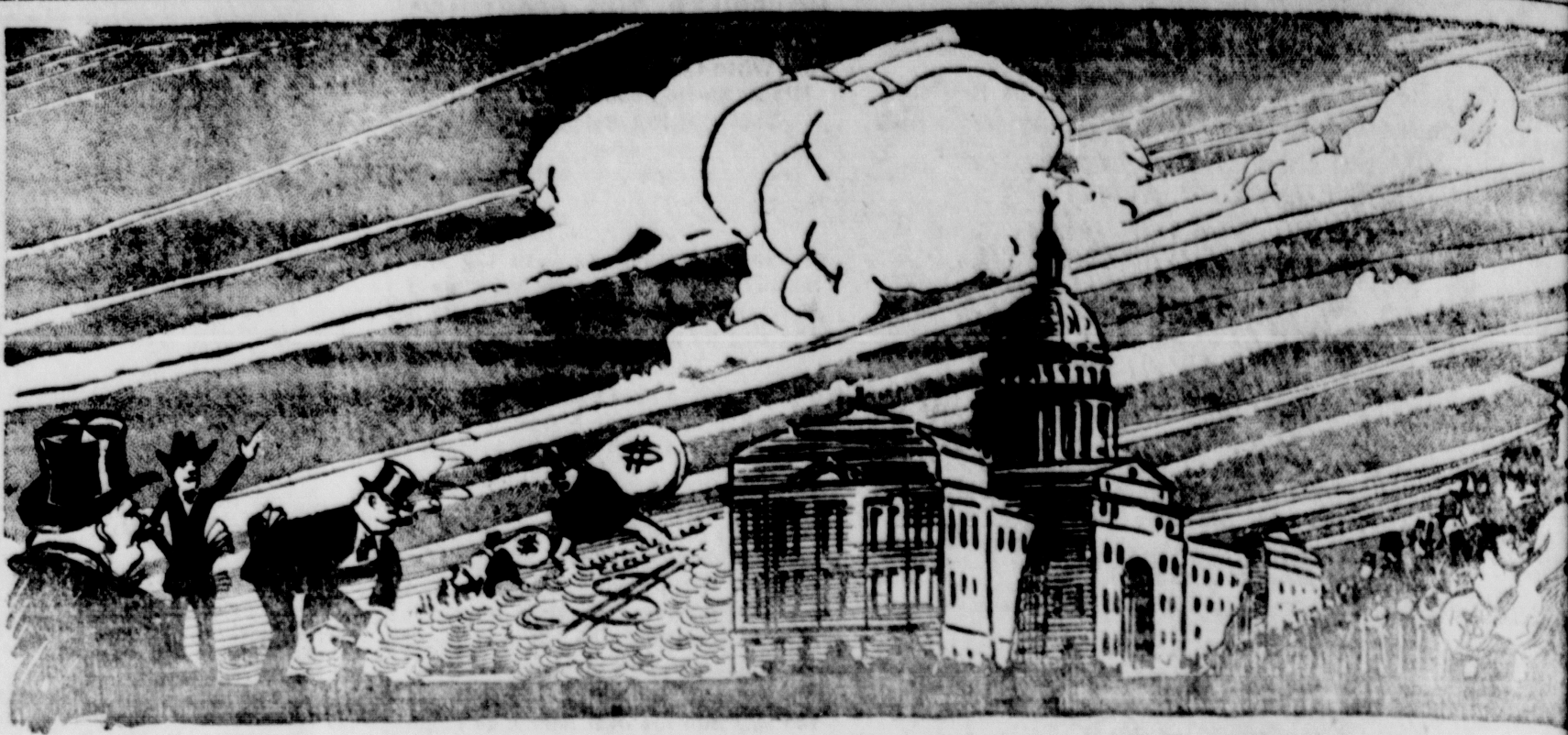
Banana Pudding.

One cupful flour, two teaspoonfuls baking powder, one-half teaspoonful salt, one-fourth cupful sugar, one-half cupful milk, one egg, two teaspoonfuls melted butter, one cupful mashed bananas.

Sift flour and baking powder; add salt, egg, and bananas which have been put through a food masher. Mix well. Brush baking dish with melted butter, pour in mixture and bake 30 minutes in moderate oven. Serve with cream and sugar, or fruit juice.

Not Always Warm.

According to press dispatches, the German railway authorities warn travelers to wear warm clothing, not only on long journeys, but also when using the Berlin local railways, as they cannot guarantee the trains being heated. The reasons assigned are the heavy demands on the railway administration for the delivery of locomotives in the enemy territories occupied and the necessity for the installation of heating apparatus on hospital trains.



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WISE AND OTHERWISE

Any man who is always right is usually a nuisance.

Don't get critical when your boss tells you to do things.

Naturally the family tree of the grafter is a plum tree.

Some beauty is skin deep and some is only enamel deep.

Sponges swell up when made to take water. Men are different.

One of the things that don't come to the bald-headed man who waits is hair.

Secrets she can't tell worry a woman as much as the money he can't spend worries a man.

Rice Was in the Trunk.

Frederick J. Eisler, assistant manager of the Waldorf-Astoria hotel, returned from his honeymoon, wearing a look of vengeance instead of the customary beatific smile that should be appropriate to the occasion, says a New York News Letter. The reason for the assistant manager's anger was the contents of a big trunk which had followed him around on his wedding trip and which cost him 16 iron boys for express charges. What is more, the trunk mystified both the bride and bridegroom. Each believing it belonged to the other, both hesitated about investigating its contents. Finally, when the trunk reached the new Eisler dovecot and both denied its ownership, each became curious to know what was in the trunk. The newly-weds soon had their anxiety relieved. And when the Waldorf hand-shaker discovered nothing but five pounds of rice his language was so strong that the bride nearly swooned.

Sheriff's Sale THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Medina.

By virtue of a certain Order issued out of the Honorable Court of Medina county, Texas, on the day of November, 1917, by Clerk of said county against Carson for the sum of Thirteen and Forty-five and 66-100 Dollars and costs of suit, in 1826 in said court, styled Crenshaw, Trustee, versus Carson, and placed in my service, I, J. F. Bader, as Sheriff of Medina county, Texas, did, on the day of November, 1917, return Real Estate, situated in Medina county, described as follows:

Lot No. 11, in Block N Herring Addition to the town of Medina, Texas, known also as Hattox Addition to the town of Medina, Texas, and being the same property owned by Frank Carson, by D. L. B. Bettie M. Howard, on May 1912, by deed duly recorded 48, page 174, Deed Records county of Medina, Texas, and levied on property of said Frank Carson, and on Tuesday, the fourth day of November, 1917, at the Court of Medina county, in the town of Medina, Texas, between the hours of and four P. M. I will sell at public vendue, the highest bidder, as the said Frank H. Carson by virtue of said Order of Sale.

And in compliance with this notice by publication, I, the undersigned, hereby giving notice of said day of sale, in Anvil Herald, a newspaper published in Hondo, Medina county, Texas, on the day of November, 1917.

[L. S.] J. F. Bader, Sheriff Medina County.

Another thing—why does a man who marries for a hot wife who is always after him miss a new film?

Go to Barrientes for fresh ries, celery and grape fruit